

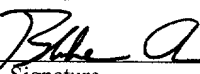
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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Applicant: **Jason C.H. Shih**

Title: **METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR STERILIZING SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS**

Filing Date: **October 26, 2001** (Express Mail Filing Under 37 CFR § 1.10)

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Specification, claims, and abstract.
- ☐ 0 sheet(s) of drawing(s).
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to BioResource International, Inc.
- ☒ Declaration and power of attorney.
- ☒ Small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.9 and 37 CFR § 1.27 is hereby claimed.

CLAIMS AS FILED:

Column 1		Column 2	Small Entity		Other Than a Small Entity		
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BASIC FEE				\$370.00	OR		\$710.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	43 - 20 =	23	x \$ 9 =	207.00	OR	x \$18 =	
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TOTAL=				\$617.00			

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$617.00 (check number 08649) to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any excess payment in connection with the filing of this application to Deposit Account No. 08-3284. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.



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Enclosed herewith is a new patent application, including fee transmittal sheet, Declaration and Power of Attorney, Assignment document and a check in the amount of \$617.00 for the filing fee.

Respectfully submitted,



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